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Notice of Lifting of Suspension Date:

TO: { Directors Of Field Operations, Port Directors }

FROM: { Director AD/CVD & Revenue Policy & Programs }

RE: LIQ. INSTRUCTIONS FOR PURE MAGNESIUM AND ALLOY MAGNESIUM FROM CANADA PRODUCED AND EXPORTED BY NORSK HYDRO CANADA INC. (NHCI) (C-122-815-002)

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LIQ SUSPENSION DATE:

TO: DIRECTORS OF FIELD OPERATIONS PORT DIRECTORS

FROM: DIRECTOR, TRADE ENFORCEMENT & CONTROL

RE: LIQ. INSTRUCTIONS FOR PURE MAGNESIUM AND ALLOY MAGNESIUM FROM CANADA PRODUCED AND EXPORTED BY NORSK HYDRO CANADA INC. (NHCI) (C-122-815-002)

1. THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE PUBLISHED IN THE FEDERAL REGISTER 09/08/1999, 64 FR 48805, THE FINAL RESULTS OF ITS ADMINISTRATIVE REVIEWS OF THE COUNTERVAILING DUTY ORDERS (C-122-815-002) ON PURE MAGNESIUM AND ALLOY MAGNESIUM FROM CANADA FOR THE 01/01/1997

12/31/1997 PERIOD.

2. IMPORTS COVERED BY THESE REVIEWS ARE SHIPMENTS OF PURE Message Date: 12/08/1999 Message Number: 9342201 Page 2 of 5

MAGNESIUM AND ALLOY MAGNESIUM FROM CANADA. PURE MAGNESIUM CONTAINS AT LEAST 99.8 PERCENT MAGNESIUM BY WEIGHT AND IS SOLD IN VARIOUS SLAB AND INGOT FORMS AND SIZES. MAGNESIUM ALLOYS CONTAIN LESS THAN 99.8 PERCENT MAGNESIUM BY WEIGHT WITH MAGNESIUM BEING THE LARGEST METALLIC ELEMENT IN THE ALLOY BY WEIGHT, AND ARE SOLD IN VARIOUS INGOT AND BILLET FORMS AND SIZES. THE MERCHANDISE UNDER REVIEW IS CURRENTLY CLASSIFIABLE UNDER ITEMS 8104.11.0000 AND 8104.19.0000 OF THE HARMONIZED TARIFF SCHEDULE OF THE UNITED STATES. SECONDARY AND GRANULAR MAGNESIUM ARE NOT INCLUDED IN THE SCOPE OF THESE ORDERS.

- 3. THE NET SUBSIDY WAS FOUND TO BE 2.02 PERCENT AD VALOREM FOR THE PERIOD 01/01/1997 THROUGH 12/31/1997.
- 4. ACCORDINGLY, YOU ARE TO LIQUIDATE AT 2.02 PERCENT OF THE ENTERED VALUE ALL SHIPMENTS OF PURE MAGNESIUM AND ALLOY MAGNESIUM

FROM CANADA PRODUCED AND EXPORTED ON OR AFTER 01/01/1997 AND ON OR BEFORE 12/31/1997 BY THE SOLE REVIEWED COMPANY, NORSK HYDRO CANADA INC ("NHCI").

5. THE ASSESSMENT OF COUNTERVAILING DUTIES BY THE CUSTOMS
SERVICE ON SHIPMENTS OR ENTRIES OF THIS MERCHANDISE IS SUBJECT TO
THE PROVISIONS OF SECTION 778 OF THE TARIFF ACT OF 1930. SECTION
778 REQUIRES THAT CUSTOMS PAY INTEREST ON OVERPAYMENTS AND ASSESS

INTEREST ON UNDERPAYMENTS OF THE REQUIRED AMOUNTS DEPOSITED AS ESTIMATED COUNTERVAILING DUTIES. THE INTEREST PROVISIONS ARE NOT APPLICABLE TO CASH OR BONDS POSTED AS ESTIMATED COUNTERVAILING DUTIES BEFORE THE DATE OF PUBLICATION OF THE COUNTERVAILING DUTY ORDER. INTEREST SHALL BE CALCULATED FROM THE DATE OF PAYMENT OF ESTIMATED COUNTERVAILING DUTIES THROUGH THE DATE OF LIQUIDATION. THE RATE AT WHICH SUCH INTEREST IS PAYABLE IS THE RATE IN EFFECT UNDER SECTION 6621 OF THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE OF 1954 FOR SUCH PERIOD.

6. THE SUSPENSION OF LIQUIDATION ORDERED FOR THIS MERCHANDISE EXPORTED ON OR BEFORE 12/31/1997 IS LIFTED. SUSPENSION OF LIQUIDATION FOR ALL ENTRIES OF THIS MERCHANDISE EXPORTED AFTER PROGRAM Date: 12/09/1999. Manager Number: 02/12/201

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12/31/1997 WILL CONTINUE.

- 7. IF THERE ARE ANY QUESTIONS REGARDING THIS MATTER BY CUSTOMS OFFICERS, PLEASE CONTACT VIA E-MAIL, THROUGH THE APPROPRIATE SUPERVISORY CHANNELS, OTHER GOVERNMENT AGENCY LIAISON, USING THE ATTRIBUTE "HQ OAB." THE IMPORTING PUBLIC AND INTERESTED PARTIES SHOULD CONTACT ANNIKA O'HARA, AD/CVD ENFORCEMENT, IMPORT ADMINISTRATION, DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE, AT (202) 482-3798.
- 8. THERE ARE NO RESTRICTIONS ON THE RELEASE OF THIS INFORMATION.

PAUL SCHWARTZ

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Company Details

*Party Indicator Value:

I = Importer, M = Manufacturer, E = Exporter, S = Sold To Party